

Fscn2 Cas9-CKO Strategy

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Project Overview

Project Name

Fscn2

Project type

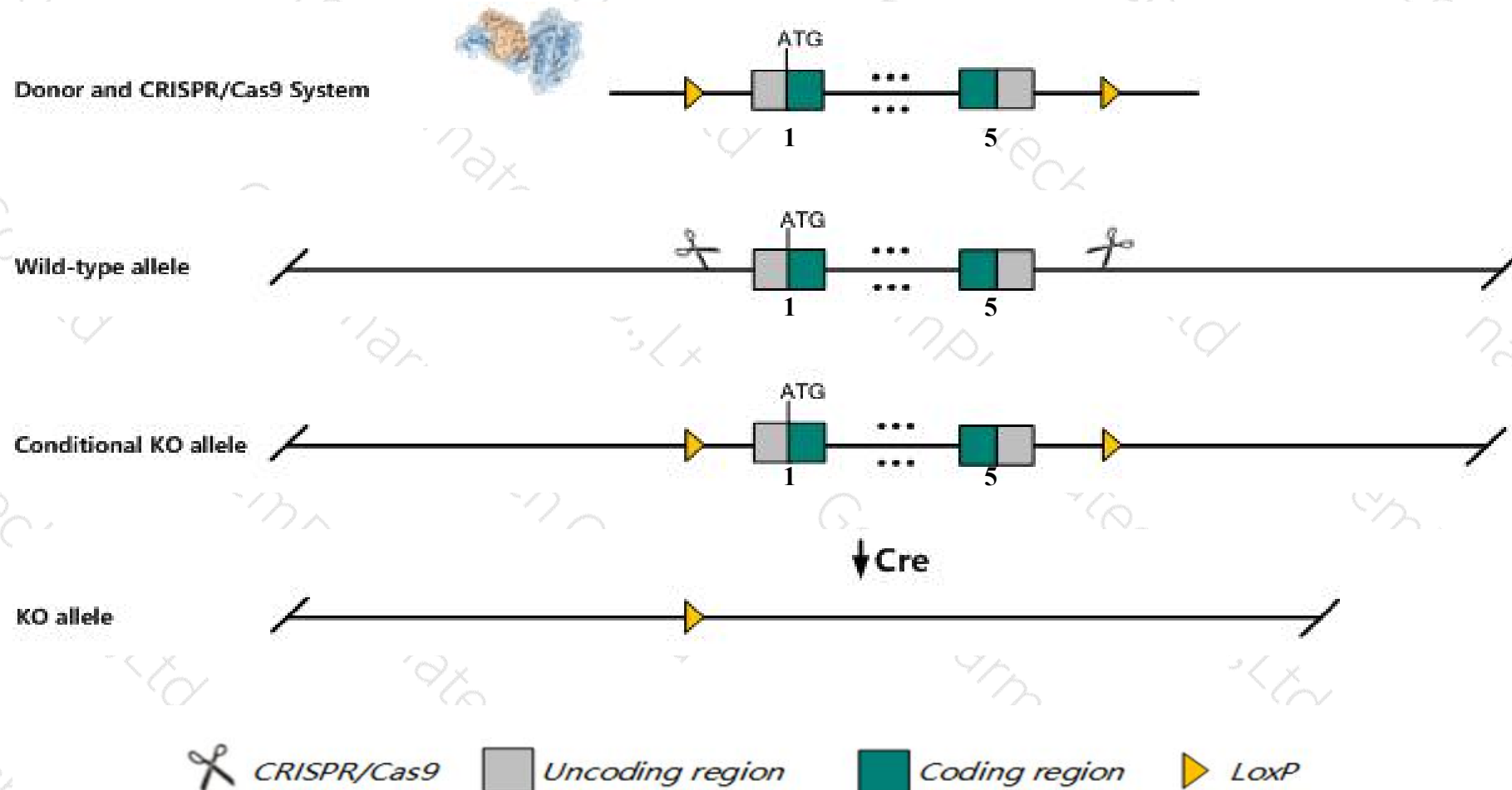
Cas9-CKO

Strain background

C57BL/6JGpt

Conditional Knockout strategy

This model will use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to edit the *Fscn2* gene. The schematic diagram is as follows:



- The *Fscn2* gene has 3 transcripts. According to the structure of *Fscn2* gene, exon1-exon5 of *Fscn2-201* (ENSMUST00000026445.2) transcript is recommended as the knockout region. The region contains all of the coding sequence. Knock out the region will result in disruption of protein function.
- In this project we use CRISPR/Cas9 technology to modify *Fscn2* gene. The brief process is as follows: CRISPR/Cas9 system and Donor were microinjected into the fertilized eggs of C57BL/6JGpt mice. Fertilized eggs were transplanted to obtain positive F0 mice which were confirmed by PCR and sequencing. A stable F1 generation mouse model was obtained by mating positive F0 generation mice with C57BL/6JGpt mice.
- The flox mice will be knocked out after mating with mice expressing Cre recombinase, resulting in the loss of function of the target gene in specific tissues and cell types.

- According to the existing MGI data, Mice homozygous for disruptions in this gene display retinal generation with structural abnormalities of the outer segment and depressed rod and cone ERGs that worsen with age.
- The floxed region is near to the C-terminal of *Faap100* gene, this strategy may influence the regulatory function of the C-terminal of *Faap100* gene.
- The *Fscn2* gene is located on the Chr11. If the knockout mice are crossed with other mice strains to obtain double gene positive homozygous mouse offspring, please avoid the two genes on the same chromosome.
- This Strategy is designed based on genetic information in existing databases. Due to the complexity of biological processes, all risk of loxp insertion on gene transcription, RNA splicing and protein translation cannot be predicted at existing technological level.

Gene information (NCBI)



Fscn2 fascin actin-bundling protein 2 [*Mus musculus* (house mouse)]

Gene ID: 238021, updated on 3-Feb-2020

Summary

- Official Symbol** Fscn2 provided by MGI
- Official Full Name** fascin actin-bundling protein 2 provided by MGI
- Primary source** [MGI:MGI:2443337](#)
- See related** [Ensembl:ENSMUSG00000025380](#)
- Gene type** protein coding
- RefSeq status** VALIDATED
- Organism** [Mus musculus](#)
- Lineage** Eukaryota; Metazoa; Chordata; Craniata; Vertebrata; Euteleostomi; Mammalia; Eutheria; Euarchontoglires; Glires; Rodentia; Myomorpha; Muroidea; Muridae; Murinae; Mus; Mus
- Also known as** Ahl8; A930022G03; C630046B20Rik
- Expression** Low expression observed in reference dataset [See more](#)
- Orthologs** [human](#) [all](#)

Genomic context

Location: 11; 11 E2

See Fscn2 in [Genome Data Viewer](#)

Exon count: 5

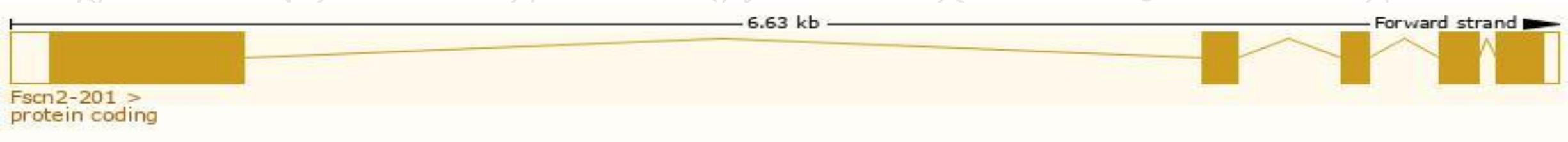
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Transcript information (Ensembl)

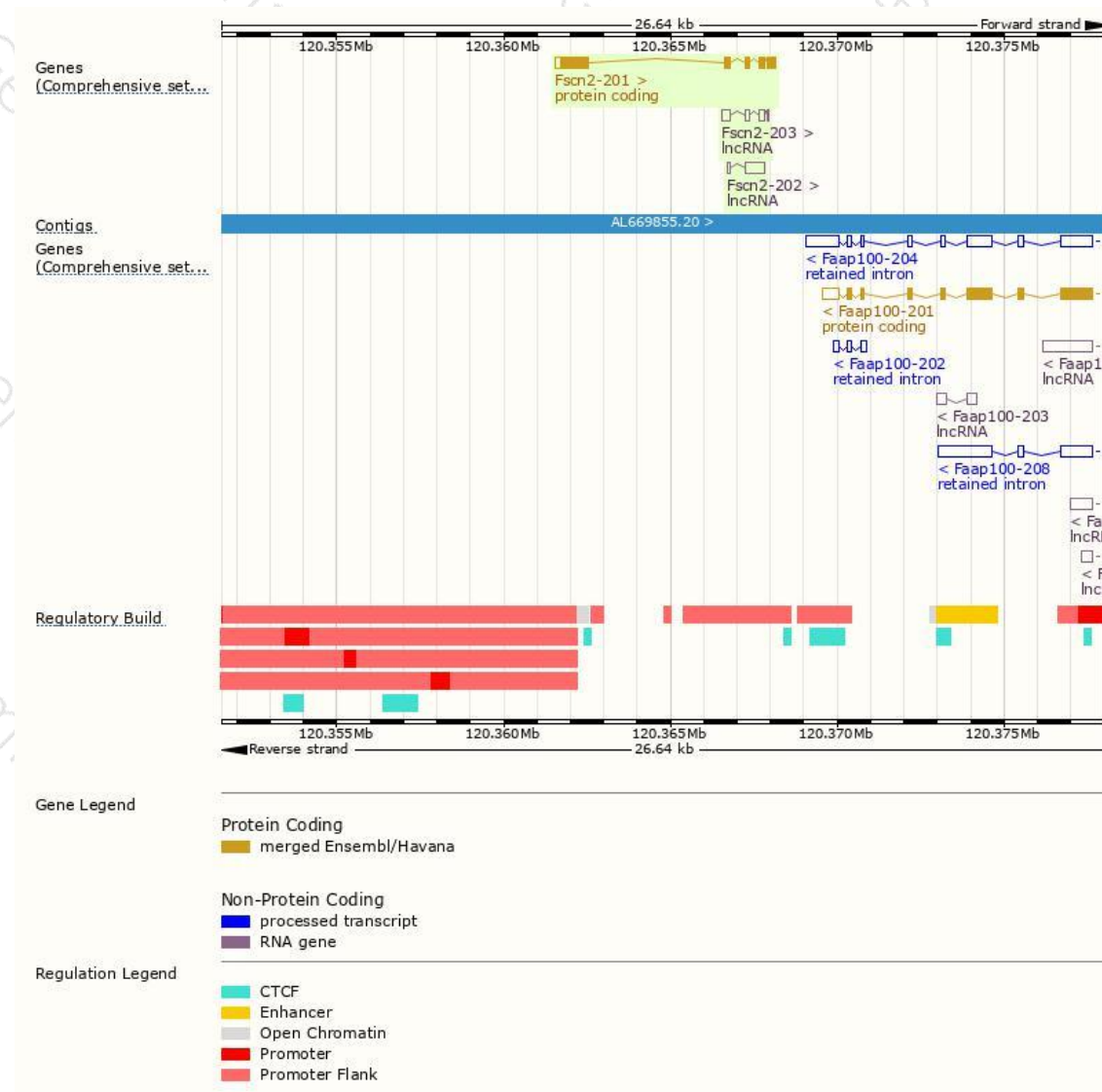
The gene has 3 transcripts,all transcripts are shown below:

Name	Transcript ID	bp	Protein	Biotype	CCDS	UniProt	Flags
Fscn2-201	ENSMUST00000026445.2	1713	492aa	Protein coding	CCDS25731	Q32M02	TSL:1 GENCODE basic APPRIS P1
Fscn2-202	ENSMUST00000130476.1	669	No protein	lncRNA	-	-	TSL:3
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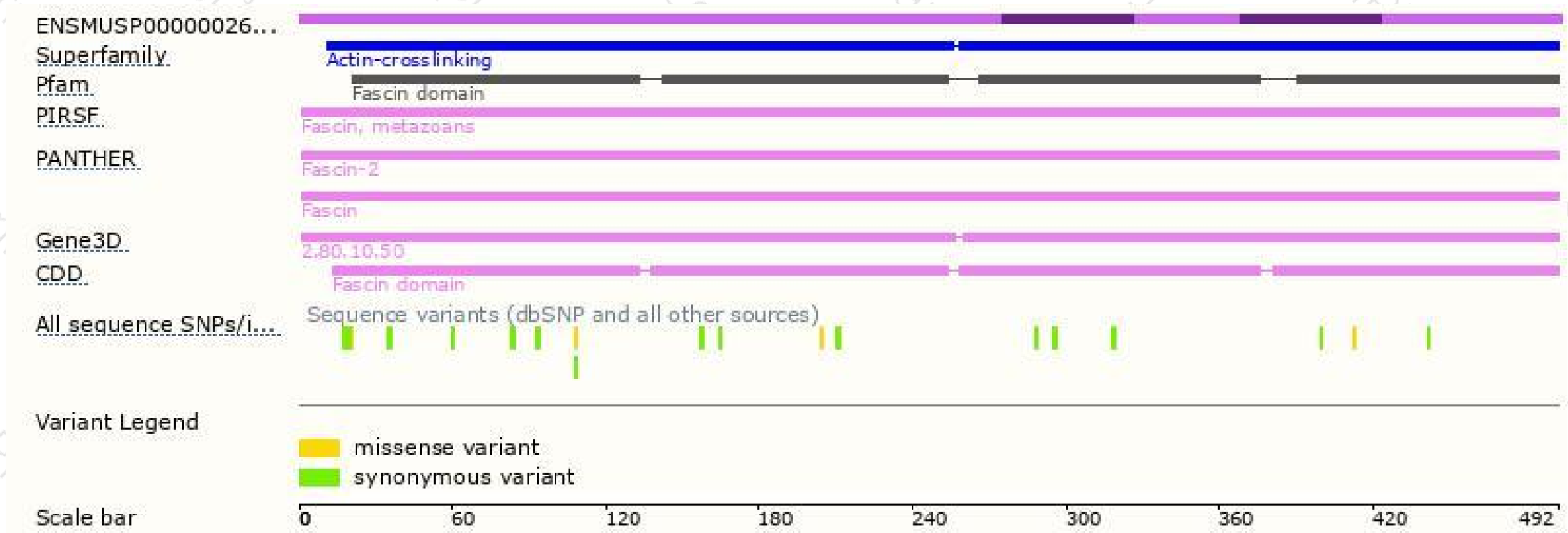
The strategy is based on the design of *Fscn2-201* transcript,The transcription is shown below



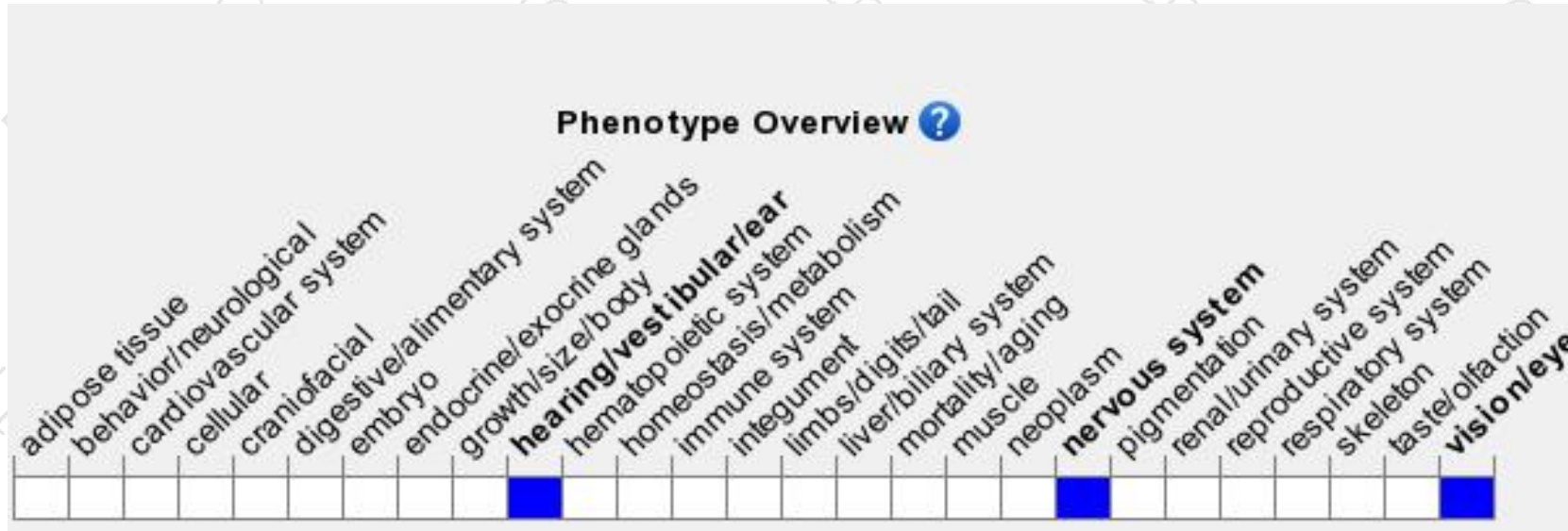
Genomic location distribution



Protein domain



Mouse phenotype description(MGI)



Phenotypes affected by the gene are marked in blue. Data quoted from MGI database(<http://www.informatics.jax.org/>).

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If you have any questions, you are welcome to inquire.

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